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Public Law 101-603
101st Congress

# An Act

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain lands to be added to the Fort Raleigh National Historic Site in North Carolina

Nov. 16, 1990
[H.R. 5497]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

SECTION 1. PURPOSE OF FORT RALEIGH NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE.

16 USC 461 note

The purpose of Fort Raleigh National Historic Site (hereinafter in this Act referred to as the "historic site") shall be the preservation and interpretation of—

(1) the first English colony in the New World; and

(2) the history of the Native Americans, European Americans, and African Americans who lived on Roanoke Island, North Carolina.

SEC. 2. ADDITION OF LANDS TO FORT RALEIGH NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE.

16 USC 461 note

(a) AUTHORITY FOR ACQUISITION.—The Secretary of the Interior may acquire through purchase, donation, or exchange all right, title, and interest in and to the lands described in subsection (b). Upon acquisition, the lands shall be added to and administered as part of the historic site.

(b) DESCRIPTION OF LANDS.—The lands referred to in subsection (a) are the approximately 335 acres depicted on the map entitled "Fort Raleigh National Historic Site Expansion", numbered 383/80,001A, dated October 1990, and on file with the Director of the National Park Service.

SEC. 3. RESEARCH.

16 USC 461 note

The Secretary, in consultation with scholarly and other historic organizations, shall undertake research on the history and archaeology of the historic site, and the associated peoples and events.

SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

16 USC 461 note

There is authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out this Act.

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